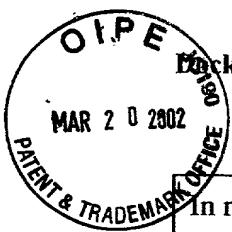


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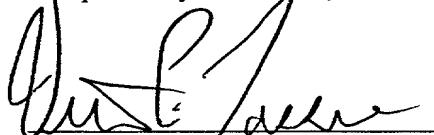
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Dear Sir:

In response to the December 20, 2001 Notice to File Missing Parts for the above-captioned matter (copy attached), Applicants respectfully submit the executed Declaration, formal drawings (Figs. 1-4 - 4 pages) and our check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the surcharge.

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in connection with this filing to our Deposit Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:

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